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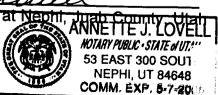
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STATE OF UTAH

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PLAN FOR ASH GROVE CEMENT COMPANY'S LEAMINGTON PLANT JUAB, COUNTY, UTAH

NOTICE OF TENTATIVE

DECISION TO APPROVE NO. M/023/004

THE STATE OF UTAH TO ALL OP-ERATORS, TAKERS OF PRODUC-TION, MINERAL AND ROYALTY OWN-ERS, AND PARTICULARLY ALL PER-SONS INTERESTED IN SECTIONS 32. 33 AND 34, TOWNSHIP 14 SOUTH, RANGE 3 WEST, AND SECTIONS 3, 4 AND 5, TOWNSHIP 15 SOUTH, RANGE 3 WEST, SLBM, JUAB COUNTY, UTAH.

Notice is hereby given by the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining of its tentative decision to approve a revision to a Large Mining Operations Notice of Intention for Ash Grove Cement Company's Learnington Plant. Mining activities will affect the following area: all or part of Sections 32, 33, and 34, Township 14 South, Range 3 West and part of Sections 3, 4 and 5, Township 15 South, Range 3 West, Juab County, Utah.

Ash Grove Coment has submitted a permit person to expand their existing large mining project, currently permitted

at 273 acres. The operator will employ the following mining and reclamation techniques on approximately 669 acres of private land.

The person representing the company is Mr. Duane Crutchfield; Phone (435) 857-1212. Ash Grove Cement is fulfilling obligations under the Utah Mined Land Reclamation Act of 1975, Utah Code Ann £40-8-18.

Any person or agency aggreeved by this tentative decision to issue approval is bereby requested to submit written protest within thirty (30) days of the date of publication to Mary Ann Wright, Associate Director of Mining, Division of Oil, Gas and Mining, 1594 West North Temple, Suite 1210, Box 145801; Salt Lake City Atlah 84114-5801; setting forth factual reasons for the complaint. If no responsive written profests are received by the Division within 30 days after the last date of publication, the teritative decident of the Division within 50 days. decision of the Division will be final.

Mining operations include drilling; blasting loading broken tock, transportation of rock, crushing rock, and rock storage. Imasjone, after being pulverized, is bended with other raw materials to straigle kin feed for the manuals to produce kun reed for the tilstic lactore sti Portland coment. All mining operations are conducted using conven-tional mining equipment, including drills, timoks, dozers, grader, teachers, feeder breakers, belt Mora stacker/reclaimer. The precovery for the life of

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disposed of your on a reste pile and it the mined out disarry. The propose quarrying operation will disturb approxi mately 118 acres for removal of the time stone and shale. Additionally, othe lands will be disturbed for the construc-tion of roads, ponds, and mining facili-ties. A total of 669 acres are included in the proposed Life-of-Quarry disturbance holt. Soils will only be salvaged from treas where it is practical and can be in a sale manner due to the steel ography.

After Operations: 100

All roads except for the loop that tends north from Highway 132 to railroad (the north road - 1.2 acres) a road that extends south from High 132 to the quarry (the South roac acres) will be removed, ripped and claimed. During the process of mir a Heavy chain will be dragged acros highwall face to remove any loose bris. A three foot high berm will be structed on the edge of the bench low the highwall to catch any de Once the highwall or end wall has I stabilized it will not be disturbed any ther. All surface water diversion s tures and sediment ponds will be moved and the areas reclaimed. proposed waste rock stockpile wi constructed at a stable slope of 30 grees. It will be revegetated with approved seed mix. All features : as buildings, roads (except for the discussed above), pads, or other s tures will be removed and the area claimed during the final reclamation cess. Disturbed areas, except for ren rock highwalls, will be graded, bilized and have topsoil replaced at depth, and amended with 5 ton per of composted manure. Areas not reing 6 inches of topsoil will have suit plant growth materials (fines) app and amended with ten ton per acr composted manure. All areas recei topsoil or other plant growth mate will be seeded in either the fall ( ferred) or spring. Disturbance wirripped to reduce compaction, rc graded to reestablish contours drainage, and final graded to slopes able for the use of mobile equipmer the preparation of seedbeds and reetation.

DATED THIS 19th day of Octo

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